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TAGS: PARM, US, WZ

SUBJECT: SCRAMBLER EQUIPMENT FOR SWAZILAND POLICE.

REF: STATE 147438

EMBASSY HAS VERIFIED THAT ORDER AS CONTAINED REFTTEL WAS
PLACED BY ROYAL SWAZILAND POLICE. TECHNICAL ADVISER TO
POLICE STATES PRESENT POLICE BAND AND EQUIPMENT IN USE
RESULTS IN POLICE MESSAGES BEING PICKED UP IN CLEAR ON
TRANSISTOR RADIOS. END USE IS FOR TRANSACTION ROUTINE
POLICE BUSINESS BETWEEN VEHICLES AND HEADQUARTERS. ONE
SCRAMBLER INTENDED FOR USE SPECIAL BRANCH OF POLICE.
BELIEVE SALE IS CONSISTENT WITH U.S. POLICY TOWARD
SWAZILAND. U.S. HAS IN PAST PROVIDED MODEST ASSISTANCE
TO POLICE INCLUDING EQUIPMENT AND TRAINING PROGRAMS.
ACCORDINGLY, RECOMMEND APPROVAL EXPORT LICENSE.
AMBASSADOR CONCURS.
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